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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

B. C. PIONEER SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL DINNER OF THE SOCIETY will be held on Saturday, December 7th next.
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NOTICE.
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I INTEND at the next sitting of the Board of Licensing Commissioners to apply for a license to sell wines, beer and spirituous liquors, by retail, in the premises known as the Delmonico Restaurant, 109 Government street.
nov9-tf E. ESCALET.

J. W. ELLIS & CO.
ARE AT PRESENT IN THE CITY, AND will soon be able to introduce their new and wonderful process for
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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

## STAR LIGHTS.

**Another Smelter for Kootenay—Mining News—Personals, Etc.**

From the Kootenay Star.]

Mr. John McLeod has returned from his eastern vacation, and is on duty again in charge of the station.

John O'Neil came down from Smith's creek and laid in a stock of supplies which he paid for in gold dust. He goes up to Carne's creek and expects to mine there till spring.

Dr. Girdwood, from McGill University of Montreal, and Mr. Marpole, Supt. of the Kamloops section of the C. P. R., visited Revelstoke early this week. Dr. Girdwood was desirous of learning more of the circumstances attending the death of his son, which appears to be involved in more or less mystery.

Mr. H. Abbott, General Superintendent of the Pacific division of the C. P. R. sent a dispatch to Mr. Hume the first of the week proposing to charter the steamer Dispatch for the round trip to Sproat's Landing and return. But as the steamer was already under engagement to work on the river improvements, Mr. Abbott was referred to Mr. Gamble, the Dominion Engineer at Victoria.

The prospects of another smelter in Kootenay, and located so that it will satisfy both Donald and Golden is getting to be a known fact. The location is already made and the contract for some of the buildings is let. Mr. McCarthy, one of the leading men of the enterprise, was in town last week making the necessary arrangements with the government agent.

Mr. Moody, of Golden, had a run to Donald lately to make known his last great discovery. It is iron this time, about two and a half miles from Golden, and he considers it the best in the country. This, together with coal, silver, and other gassey minerals, Golden is bound to come to the front.

Mr. William Taylor arrived yesterday from East Kootenay where he has been spending about two months with his old friend J. Hepburne, from the Nicola district. He visited the McMurdoch district and found a great mining section, but it is almost inaccessible, a trail extending for about 25 miles over a depression in the mountain, on which the government has expended a little money this summer. Ore cannot be brought out successfully until a wagon road is constructed. The steamer Duchess stopped running some time ago, and the only way in and out of the mines is by row boat or trail from Golden. On his return he went to see the Fish Creek mine at Illecillewaet, and pronounces it the best piece of mining property he has seen in Kootenay district.

**Prof. Dawson on Kootenay.**

Prof. Dawson, of the Dominion geological survey, who has spent the summer exploring and surveying in the Kootenay and Kamloops districts, passed through the city yesterdap on the way to Ottawa. He fully corroborates the statements that have been published from time to time concerning the richness of the lead and silver deposits in the Kootenay country, and goes so far as to say that the future of the district as a great and important mining centre is already assured. A number of valuable claims have been located, but work so far has been confined to developing the properties, there being no facilities for shipping the ore to smelters. Prof. Dawson says that the miners will be given means shortly for shipping ore, but he does not know whether it will be in the shape of a wagon road or a railway. Ore is being taken from some of the gold mines by pack mules and wagons to a point on the Northern Pacific railway whence it is forwarded by rail to the smelters. Although expensive, it pays to ship the high grade ores in that way. Ore is being shipped from Illecillewaet gold mines by rail. The company that is erecting a smelter at Revelstoke, will begin to buy ore as soon as the building is completed, which will be within a couple of months. Mr. Dawson says that the Kamloops district is also rich in minerals.—Winnipeg *Free Press.*

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# EUROPEAN NEWS.

## Italians Demand an Apology for Insults to One of Their Dignitaries.

## Difficulties of Travel in Germany—Strangers Watched by the Police.

Paris, Nov. 13.—A special dispatch from Rome to the *Figaro* announces that an Italian cruiser with two torpedo boats has been dispatched to Sal Jaries with an ultimatum to the Moorish authorities demanding satisfaction for the insult offered to the Marquis De Cambraggio. If this is not accorded within 48 hours the town will be bombarded.

HELD FOR TRIAL.

London, Nov. 13.—The examination in the case of Claude, Marks, Wolf and Marix charged with attempting to incite blackmail through financial newspapers with which they were connected, was concluded to-day. The magistrate held the accused for trial and they were released on bail.

TOURISTS IN GERMANY

**Complaint of the Surveillance Placed Upon Them.**

London, Nov. 13.—The restrictions upon travelling and the obstacles gratuitously placed in the way of tourists in Germany have always aroused the indignation of travellers there—an anger naturally all the greater from the necessity of its being a smothered one. People who cannot or do not care to obtain letters of introduction to or identification from German officials are hampered in their movements and dogged by spies from their entrance into the country to their departure from it. Austria has growing comparatively liberal in this respect of late years, while German offensiveness has increased. American and English tourists have no desire to upset German institutions, or commit acts of incendiarism or vandalism, such as burning the docks at Konigsberg or mutilating that famous show place, the shell grotto at Potsdam. But since the occurrence of these events travellers, bearing every sign of respectability and wealth have been as closely watched as if they were known Socialists from the purlieus of Leicester square.

WELCH CLERGYMEN

**Suffering in Some Instances for the Necessaries of Life.**

London, Nov. 13.—The situation of the unfortunate Welsh clergymen of the established church is worse than ever. The contributions initiated for their relief have produced very small sums, and several of the incumbents have actually suffered for the necessaries of life. The government cannot openly assist them, and a visiting committee of three from the poorest districts is appealing personally th the charity of the church people in London. Some very distressing stories are related, but if the church in Wales can neither be assisted nor abolished the suffering it would seem must continue. As the Rev. Mr. Williams, who holds a small living in Monmouthshire, pathetically says, the Welsh clergymen are worse off than London dock laborers, for they have not even the poor resource of going on strike.

NEW WESTMINSTER.

**The Assizes Open to-day—No Serious Cases.**

Special to THE TIMES.]

New Westminster, Nov. 13.—The fall assizes opened this morning at 11:55 o'clock, with Justice McCreight on the bench. After the proclamation was read the grand jury was sworn. Justice McCreight charged the jury briefly and outlined the different cases. He said twelve of the cases would be brought before them, but only two were of a serious nature. "We can't hope from that that crime is diminishing in the district. The Speedy Trials Court had disposed of several cases since last assizes." Court then adjourned and reassembled at 2 o'clock. Sir M. B. Begbie took the bench, the grand jury entered and presented true bills in the case of Ward for robbery and that of John Bradley for larceny. The case of Ward was dismissed on account of the principal witness having left the country.

BODY FOUND.

**The Body of Hugh Sowden Found This Morning.**

Special to THE TIMES.]

Nanaimo, Nov. 13.—Messrs. Nelson and Cornelius Thompson found the body of Hugh Sowden floating in Nanaimo lake at 11 o'clock this morning, about fifteen feet from the shore, not far from the place where he was last seen. A party goes out to-night to bring in the body. Nelson and Thompson get the one hundred dollars reward offered by the Oddfellows society for the recovery of the body.

MAGNATES AND GOVERNMENT.

**A Conference To-Day Between C.P.R. Officials and the Government.**

Special to THE TIMES.]

Ottawa, Nov. 13.—Canadian Pacific railway magnates, including Sir Donald Smith, W.C. VanHorne and Mr. Shaughnessy are to-day closeted with the government endeavoring to arrive at some solution regarding the rupture between the railway company and the government respecting the refusal of the Intercolonial Railway to exchange traffic and use tickets of the Canadian Pacific Railway on certain portions of the Intercolonial line. This disagreement was one of the reasons of the failure of the Anderson to carry out the contract for a fast Atlantic ocean mail steamship line.

**A Father at Twelve.**

The King of Siam is a magnificent object in state attire. He glistens from head to foot with jewels worth more than $1,000,000. It is commonly reported in Bankok that he has 300 wives and 67 children, though the exact figures have never been given to his subjects. He was a father at the age of twelve and is now only thirty-six years old. If he lives a few years more he will be able to assume the title of "father of his country." The king is a good fellow, fond of a reasonable number of his children and very kind to his 300 wives. He is very progressive and has done a great deal of good to Siam.

**Handsome Shoes.**

Ladies patent leather fox suede top shoes, Philadelphia make. These are lovely goods, at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium, 132 Government street corner Johnson. tf

**Comfortable**

Ladies' lamb's wool lined Slippers and Felt Boots at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium, 132 Government street corner Johnson. tf

London society have found a fresh delight in smoking Special Favours.

## THE BEHRING SEA DIFFICULTY.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE LONDON TIMES:

SIR,—Your article of August 24th ult. with regard to the Behring sea difficulty has excited some interest here, partly because those connected with sealing in this city are grateful to learn that you take so much interest in the affair, and also because some of the inferences of the article are based upon grounds which are not strictly according to facts. From my own limited means of judging, it seems that the true aspects of the difficulty have not been presented with sufficient force to the English people, for, if they had, I cannot but believe that the wrongs owners of vessels here have suffered would have been redressed long ago. I have a suspicion that facts coming to you through the United States, and from the officials of the Alaska Fur Company, have been wilfully misrepresented so as to suit their case.

Quoting from your article, you say with reference to this year's seizures:—"At all events, their cargoes of sealskins do not seem to have been removed, and they reached Victoria none the worse." Now, the actual facts stand thus. Every skin found on board the five British schooners, were transshipped to the American cutter, and their arms and ships' papers taken away, so that they had to come back to Victoria empty. Now, if you consider that the cost of outfit and wages to be paid to a sealing crew for a season's work considerably exceeds the cost of the vessel herself, and that the value of an average catch for each of these vessels amounts to from fifteen to twenty thousand dollars, you will perceive that the owners have been losers to a very considerable extent, which, in some cases, has been absolutely ruinous from a pecuniary point of view. Again quoting from your article: "Every British ship taken to Sitka and confiscated for taking seals constitutes a serious international incident. Previous confiscations, although they have brought loss to the victims, have also brought humiliation to the United States. The Attorney-General of the United States has felt himself compelled to order the release of the condemned vessels, minus, no doubt, their cargoes of skins."

Now, sir, with regard to the first seizures, which occurred in 1886. In that year three schooners were taken—the Thornton, Carolina and Onward. These vessels were seized, towed into Ounalaska, their masters and mates imprisoned and fined, their cargoes were sold, and the vessels permitted to rot on the beach. About 18 months ago the owners of these vessels were informed that the United States government surrendered their claim to them. When you consider that these vessels had been allowed to go to ruin for two years in a harbor something like 2,000 miles from Victoria, I think you will allow that this concession on the part of the United States government benefitted the owners very little.

Again, in 1887, the steam schooners Dolphin, Grace, and Anna Beck, and the schooners Ada, W. P. Sayward and Alfred Adams were seized and five of them taken to Sitka; the W. P. Sayward was released upon payment of heavy bonds, and the other four were (after a great deal of backing and filing by the United States Government) sold in March last at Port Townsend, Washington Territory, so that it cannot truly be said that the United States Government have compelled to release condemned vessels. This year, as we have already seen, the vessels got off with the loss of their catch, and I quite agree with you in thinking that this method of operating has been a matter of policy with the United States government. Now, Mr. Editor, when you consider that these seizures have been made on the high seas, at a distance of from 30 to 100 miles from the nearest land, I think it will be admitted that they have been nothing less than high-handed outrages.

The Imperial government have, to all appearances, done little or nothing towards rectifying the wrongs which have been done us; we are simply told, from time to time, that negotiations, etc., are pending, but nothing has yet come of it.

It has been stated by the people connected with the Alaska Fur Company, as arguments against the schooners employed in the business, that the seals are indiscriminately slaughtered, and that for one seal taken by the hunters nine are killed. Now, from three years' actual experience with Indian hunters, I am in a position to declare that with their spears they very seldom lose a seal after it is struck, and never after it is killed. With white hunters (who use guns) the loss, I believe, is from five to ten per cent. of the number killed, but not more. As for the assertion made by the agent of the United States government—that the killing of seals by schooners would lead to their extermination—I would say that if the limitation law regulating the killing on the Pribyloff islands be enforced, in my opinion the catch made on the sea will never affect the industry.

The masters and owners of vessels here have never been notified that the Imperial government has admitted the claims of the United States to the eastern half of Behring Sea. Vessels have always been allowed to clear at the custom-house here for the North Pacific Ocean and Behring Sea on sealing and hunting voyages.

There seems, however, to be every probability that the Americans (should the policy followed during the last four years be continued) will be able to make good their claims, for owners here will hardly send vessels into the sea to be captured and confiscated at the pleasure of the United States government.

In conclusion, sir, the people here expect and claim the protection of the Imperial government in the pursuit of what we consider a purely legitimate industry, and I, as an Englishman, appeal, through you, to the British public, to move for justice in this matter. I am, sir, yours, etc.,

CHAS. E. CLARKE,
Master of the seized British schooner Juanita.

Victoria, British Columbia, Sept. 17.

**Rising Sparks.**

A minister of the name of Sparks, whose pastorate was in Scotland, was the father of thirteen children. At the baptism of the thirteenth an aged brother divine called on the congregation to join in singing the paraphrase beginning with the line, "As sparks in close succession rise." This spark caused an explosion of laughter, but it wasn't until after the ceremonies were over that an explanation enabled the conscious joker to "catch on to his pun.

**Thirty Years Ago.**

Over thirty years ago there was placed upon the market a remedy designed to relieve pain and capable of either external or internal use. From the first it has had wonderful success, and hundreds testify that Hagyard's Yellow Oil cures rhumatism, sore throat, sprains, croup, cuts, bruises and all pains and aches.

**That Arch.**

Never mind the arch but keep your feet dry and comfortable with a good pair of cork soled boots at Erskine's Boot and Shoe Emporium, 132 Government street corner Johnson. tf

**William's Cities Directory 1890.**

$1.25 including street Directory of Victoria. A home publication. Office 28 Broad Street. tf

# GENERAL DISPATCHES.

## The C. P. R. Company to Spend $5,000,000 on Montreal Harbor and Boom it.

## General Wolsely Will not Attend the Unveiling of Lee's Monument.

Woodbury, N. Y., Nov. 13.—Joseph Willman was hanged in jail here at 10:20 this morning for murdering a Jewish peddler named Herman Sudam, November 9th, 1888. The purpose was robbery, but Hillman only got $14. On the scaffold Hillman, although only twenty years old, exhibited unusual nerve. He said, "My dear friends, all I have to say is that my wife had nothing to do with it." When the rope was cut the knot failed to slip and the boy hung in mid air and struggled terribly.

CASE DISMISSED.

New York, Nov. 13.—The attorneys for both sides of the three million dollar suit brought by Sir Bache Cunard against Chas. D. Francklyn, announced in court this morning that a settlement had been agreed upon and the case was dismissed.

A HIDDEN LEAK.

San Francisco, Nov. 13.—The ship Martha, on her way from Burrard Inlet, B. C., to Hong Kong with a cargo of lumber, recently put into this port in distress. She was leaking badly, and after discharging some 200,000 feet of lumber at a wharf will go on the Merchants' dry dock for repairs. So far neither the captain nor any members of the crew have been able to find the exact place of the leak.

BONNER BUYS SUNOL.

New York, Nov. 13.—Robert Bonner has purchased the great three-year old, Sunol, from Senator Stanford of California. Sunol, on Saturday last, trotted a mile in the unparalleled time for a three-year-old of 2:10¼ Bonner's offer for Sunol was made and accepted by Stanford before she made this great performance. Sunol has also the fastest record ever made by a three-year-old, having trotted last year in 2:18.

MARINE.

San Francisco, Nov. 13—Arrived, ship Oriental from Tacoma; Ivanhoe from Seattle; barks R. K. Ham from Port Townsend and Don Nicholas from Port Moody. Sailed, ship Alaska for Tacoma.

CATHOLIC CONGRESS.

Washington, Nov. 13.—The weather was extremely inauspicious for the dedication of the Catholic University to-day, it raining continuously. The ceremony was transferred from the west front to the interior, where at 10 o'clock Cardinal Gibbons delivered a short address. This was followed by chanting the hymn, "Veni Creator Spiritus," by 250 students of St. Mary's Seminary and St. Charles' College. The ceremonies which followed included the celebration of a Pontifical mass of the Holy Ghost in the University chapel by Mgr. Satolli. The sermon was preached by Bishop Gilmour of Cleveland at 1 p. m. The inaugural dinner was held at 3:30 in the University parlors. The board of directors will receive the addresses from abroad, and a marble bust of St. Thomas Aquinas, presented by Catholics of Great Britain and Ireland at Rome.

A FATAL SHOT.

Cincinnati, Nov. 13—Miss Amelia Stegner, the 19 year old daughter of ex-assistant city treasurer Stegner, was fatally shot last night by some one unknown. The young lady was at the time standing in the doorway of her sister's house on Stark street, watching the festivities of a wedding party across the way, when two pistol shots were heard and Miss Stegner dropped to the floor exclaiming, "I am shot." She was removed to the hospital and remained unconscious until 9:15 this morning when she died. A young man of the neighborhood, named Charles T. Howard, was known to carry a revolver and fire it recklessly. He was arrested to-day.

TRAFFIC IN FLESH.

San Francisco, Nov. 13—In the United States district court to-day Dai Fook, a Chinaman, was held to answer in $3,000 bonds on a charge of selling his wife for $1,500 for immoral purposes.

SESSION OPENED.

Sacramento, Cala., Nov. 13.—The twenty-third annual session of the National Grange Patrons of Husbandry opened to-day in the Assembly Chambers.

TRAMPS AS FIRE BUGS.

Sacramento, Nov. 13.—The Elk Grove flour mill, owned by Hill & Bauer, at Elk Grove in this county, was totally destroyed by fire last night. Loss over $10,000; insurance about $4000. The fire was started by tramps.

DEATH.

San Francisco, Nov. 13—L. B. Frankel, a stock broker, died this morning from liver trouble.

Deceased was a member of the firm of L. B. Frankel & Co., of Virginia City, Nevada, which failed for nearly one million dollars during the stock panic of November, 1886. Frankel leaves a wife, son and daughter.

NOT ADMISSABLE.

Chicago, Ills., Nov. 13.—In the Cronin case this morning Judge McConnell decided that the evidence as to the trial and expulsion of Dr. Cronin from the Clan-Na-Gael is not admissable.

THE WAY TO BOOM

Montreal, Nov. 13—The Canadian Pacific railroad has invited the city council of Montreal to an excursion over the "Soo" line to St. Paul, Minneapolis and other large western cities. The object is to boom Montreal harbor, on which $5,000,000 is to be expended.

The improvements are made in an endeavor to direct to the St. Lawrence and lake route the trade which now goes via Boston, New York and Baltimore. The Canadian Pacific alleges it lost, because of lack of facilities, during the past season, 750,000 tons weight, which could have been handled here had there been facilities, which it is proposed to provide. The freight went to Europe through American seaports instead.

## WOLSELEY SENSIBLE.

**He Will not Attend the Unveiling of a Monument to Gen. Lee.**

Boston, Nov. 13—General Lord Wolseley, of the British army, writes as follows to Mr. Whiting, of Wellaston, Mass., regarding the statement recently published that he would participate in the unveiling of General Lee's statue at Richmond in December:

Ranger Lodge, Greenwich Park, S. E., Oct. 29, 1889.—Lord Wolseley presents his compliments to Mr. Whiting and begs to acquaint him that there is no truth in the statement that he will visit America in December next to assist in the unveiling of the monument to General Robert E. Lee.

## SO THEY MARRIED.

**Bob Ingersoll's Daughter Married Without Ceremony.**

New York, Nov. 13.—Miss Eva Ingersoll, a daughter of Col. Bob Ingersoll, was married at her father's residence this morning, in the presence of her family only, to Walter L. Brook, a wealthy lawyer of this city. There was no religious ceremony at the marriage.

## THE ALASKA PACK.

**Arrival of the Last Boat of the Season at Frisco.**

San Francisco, November 13.—The steamer Haytien Republic, which arrived yesterday from Kodiak, Alaska, brought a cargo of 1800 cases of salmon. She left nine men at St. Paul Island to take care of the canneries for the winter. She brought 225 passengers, the majority of whom were Chinese. The Haytien Republic's charter with the Kodiak Packing Company will expire with the termination of the trip. It is understood that she has been newly chartered to run between here and Puget Sound.

The arrival of this steamer closes the salmon season in Alaska, as she was the last vessel up north. In the early part of the season the salmon run was very light, but as the season advanced the run improved and the result is that more fish have been packed this year than ever before. Notwithstanding this, the year has been a profitless one to many. A number of new canneries started this year in Alaska and considerable money was sunk. Some of the old companies were among the sufferers, while some of the new companies have thriven, notably the Arctic Packing Co., and the Alaskan Improvement Co. The Home Packing Co. is in the lead, although it has fallen somewhat short in comparison with other years.

The full Alaska pack for the season is credibly placed at 463,000 cases.

## DAM BURST.

**A Town in Dakota Suffers From Raging Waters.**

Alton, Dak. Nov. 13.—A terrible calamity occurred here at 4:30 this morning by the breaking of the mill dam at McLelland's flouring mills, one mile west of this village, whereby two lives were lost, six mills and four bridges carried away and many houses and buildings wrecked. Thousands of dollars worth of property was destroyed. The inhabitants of the village were at first awakened by the water rushing into the streets. They speedily sought places of safety, and many narrowly escaped with their lives. One old couple named Harris were carried away and drowned. The village presents a wrecked appearance to-day, the streets being washed into holes, sidewalks torn up and debris of all sorts piled up in the roadway. Among the buildings destroyed were Dick's stove foundry, Alger's woolen mill, Ward's woolen mills, and many dwellings. Dams at Meek's and McKinnon's mills and at Alger's and Ward's mills were carried away. The bridge of the Canadian Pacific division was wrecked. The loss is not estimated, but will reach away up into the thousands.

## IN A WORD "BOODLE."

**The Magnetic Electi Cry in New Westminster.**

At the nomination of candidates to represent New Westminster in the legislative assembly, as already announced, two candidates were placed in the field.

The nomination of Mr. Gordon Edward Corbould was moved by Mr. Chas. McDowan, seconded by Mr. Henry Elliott, and assented to by Mr. I. B. Fisher, Mr. Wm. McColl and L. F. Bonson. Owing to the heavy down pour of rain the attendance at the Court House on this occasion was not large.

Mr. Thomas Cunningham, fruitgrower, etc., was proposed by Mr. David McHair, seconded by Chas. J. Fagan, M. D., and assented to by Mr. Alex. Ewen, Mr. J. C. Armstrong and Mr. John Reid.

At 1 o'clock the time for receiving nominations being over, Capt. Scoullar was called to the chair, and without any preamble called upon Mr. G. E. Corbould to address the assembled electors. And upon coming forward Mr. Corbould said his address now should be very brief, as he intended to call a public meeting of ratepayers at an early date, when the questions of interest to the city would be fully discussed. He was in favor of the equitable redistribution of seats which would give the mainland representatives justice. New Westminster city in common with the other cities, towns and districts of the mainland had rapidly increased in population and should have representation accordingly. He was in favor of subsidies being granted by the government for the construction of roads and bridges, and for the erection of a court house suitable to the requirements of this circuit, and if elected would make every effort to secure a grant for that purpose. He expected soon to see Westminster leading the province as a city. It would for some time to come be the only city possessing two railways. He was going to do all in his power to obtain a bridge over the Fraser river here and would endeavor to obtain a handsome subsidy for that purpose. He advocated the transfer by the government to this corporation of all public lands now held by the former within this corporation, except what were absolutely necessary for government purposes. He advocated the generous fostering of industries by the provincial government. For conclusion Mr. Corbould said that an objection to him had been advanced on the ground that he owned property in Vancouver, and he assured his hearers that every dollar of profit accruing from his Vancouver land speculations had been spent in Westminster.

Mr. Thomas Cunningham was next called upon. He did not intend to say very much on this occasion. He should support the present government as long as they did what was to the best interests of the province and of this district. He had always tried to do what he could to advance the interests of Westminster. His interests were all here. He and his family were here to stay. He advocated the re-distribution of seats, keeping in view the best interests of this city and district. He thought we had been side-tracked long enough. He was for Westminster city and district first, and he was also in favor of obtaining a grant for the construction of a court house adequate to the wants of the district, also of better school accommodation. Our school building was 50 years behind the times, that must be remedied. We want a schoolhouse equal to Vancouver or Victoria. He should insist on a liberal bonus for the Fraser River railway bridge. He advocated—road construction being subsidized, especially a trunk road from the Gulf of Georgia to this city through the whole of Lulu island. This city owned a large property there and he claimed some credit for obtaining it. He would have wagon roads improved leading out of Westminster in all directions. He wanted a fruit canning and packing establishment subsidized. Immense quantities of canned fruit were imported and we might as well control the home market in that line as not. We must have good roads to Surrey and Maple Ridge. He should support and insist upon a subsidy being granted for that purpose. He should bring in a measure to regulate the yearly registration of the names of voters in electoral divisions.

Concluding, Mr. Cunningham said his motto was "Westminster first," and if elected he should act up to it. After a vote of thanks was tendered the chairman the meeting adjourned.

Ald. Jaques of the Royal City came over last night by the Islander.

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## THE PANAMA CANAL.

The Panama Canal, we understand, is not to be advanced. Shortly a commission will proceed from France for the purpose of a thorough investigation of the works, which DeLesseps was compelled to abandon. The meeting of the committee at which it was resolved to despatch the commission—originally nominated by M. Brunet, liquidator of the company—comprised M. Guillemin, inspector general, director of the school of Bridges and highways; Benoust des Ongrieres, his predecessor, now retired; Holtz, engineer-in-chief, professor at the same institution; Nivon, mining engineer in chief; Chabert, engineer, president of the coal and railway company of Venezuela; and Du Chatenel, who has had charge of important works in Peru. Doubtless this commission will report favorably. With all the extravagance which characterized the DeLesseps management of the Canal, an immense amount of work was performed and that the results obtained at the expenditure of so many millions should have been in vain is contrary to the spirit of the times. It is tolerably clear, however, that the canal as an investment, counting the money already expended and the expenditure necessary to complete the project, can never be a paying investment, at least not during this generation. At some future time when the west coast of South America shall have been more fully developed, likewise the islands of the Pacific, the canal perhaps will pay interest on the hundreds of millions which were required to build it. As an highway of commerce, however, for the present it must be regarded more in the light of an exhibition of engineering skill than a sound business venture. But whether it will pay or not, it should be completed. There is more sense in putting money into this ditch than there is into standing armies. Let the powers of Europe reduce their standing armies, and employ the surplus which would accrue over which the world may justly be proud. It is folly to spend millions in keeping up a useless pageant which is a menace to peace, and yet cry out at the expenditure of a few hundred millions required to complete an enterprise which would be a benefit to the commercial world.

## DOING A MISSIONARY WORK

Hon. John Robson left this morning for Kamloops, where, according to the Sentinel, he will unfold his policy in an effort to persuade the electors to continue to support his administration. This is legitimate. It is eminently proper that "Honest John" should enter upon divers pilgrimages in his political interest. So far as our recollection serves, this is his third. His first was to Comox, his second was to Alberni, and now in this trip to Kamloops we have his third, not to mention his incidental excursions to Vancouver and New Westminster to assuage certain apprehensions peculiar to those parts. No, we see nothing in this trip to Kamloops that the most carping critic could find fault with. If he fancies that the Kamloopians are wavering in their allegiance to him, it would be gross negligence, indeed, did he fail to attempt to re-convert them to a fervent belief in his doctrine. But if we have no fault to find with the pilgrimage, we at least may be permitted to interject the hope that the Premier in his zeal will not undertake to make himself solid with the Kamloops electors by any other arts than those arts which are strictly consistent with the broad and patriotic principles of which he is the exemplar par excellence. In other words, we hope that he will not undertake to repeat the tactics at Kamloops which he employed at New Westminster, and which have paralyzed his opponents in that district. According to the Inland Sentinel, Kamloops is hungering for government pap. Mr. McIntosh may have some saw-logs which would look better sub-divided into government planking for bridges, etc., and as Mr. McIntosh propitiated means the propitiation of almost everybody else on the Thompson, the repetition of the tactics employed at New Westminster assures Mr. Martin's chances of re-election as ten to one. But what were the tactics employed by "Honest John" at New Westminster? the unsophisticated Kamloopian will ask. Why, New Westminster wants a court-house, and "Honest John" has promised the Temple of Justice contingent on Westminster's political support. Hence we reiterate that we hope that the Premier will forbear to seduce Kamloops by giving "Jimmy" a lumber contract. This promising of court-houses contingent on political support, has a plausible look, but it is bribery, nevertheless. It is worse—it is intimidation. The power to promise also implies the power to wreck vengeance. Where a promise is based on a contingent condition, the logical sequence is not only the power but the intention to punish. By supporting the government candidate in the coming election, New Westminster is promised a court-house; failing to support the government candidate New Westminster will not get one. The political philosophy of "Honest John" is "you scratch my back and I will scratch your's. Failing to scratch my back I not only will not scratch your's, but I will see that nobody else does." It is hard lines, indeed, when a community like New Westminster must sell their votes in order to secure a court-house. Morally considered, the difference in turpitude between buying individuals and buying constituencies is so slight as not to be worth considering. The price of political support should not be made contingent on government pap. The theory of our form of government is the greatest good to the greatest number, but the government which distributes its patronage as the price of political support, violates this principle and establishes to all intents and purposes a despotism. Promises in politics which involve the expenditure of the public funds, look at them as leniently as may be, are nothing more nor less than bribes. The politician who deals in this species of promises virtually holds the keys of the treasury in one hand and the club of intimidation in the other. It is worse than ordinary bribery, because those who refuse to be bribed are made to suffer for it. They are discriminated against for asserting their independence. The average mossback, however, fails to see it in this light, at least he does not stop to reflect, and so throws up his hat for the man who makes a virtue of doling out to his district the public funds. If New Westminster really needs a court house she is entitled to one on the broad principle of public interest. The government which presumes to grant an appropriation on any other principle assumes a false virtue, betrays a public trust, advertises itself as a gang of venal demagogues, opens the flood gates to political debauchery, and contributes to destroy the probity of the body politic. We do not understand that the man that we oppose in politics is any the less our representative and the guardian of our interests. Mr. G. B. Martin is as much the representative of the men who voted for Thos. Roadley as he is of his own supporters. His duty extends to political friends and foes alike. He cannot in justice to the institutions he professes to represent dispense favors on his friends and wrath on his enemies. He is under the same obligations to the minority in all of his public measures that he is to the majority. Thus we have in this appropriation business, as the reward for political support, an abuse which the electors cannot too quickly bring under the ban of reprobation. It is fraught with injustice, it is equivalent to herding electors to the polls and compelling them to vote contrary to their wishes at the pain of a clubbing. If Westminster is wise she will refuse to be bribed to support the government by the promise of a court house, and Kamloops will give the cold shoulder to any politician who asks her to stultify herself for a pull at the government pap bottle.

## EDITORIAL NOTES.

Judging from the subjoined figures relative to the dangers of steamboat travel, it is safer on a steamboat than to hang around home taking care of one's self. The total number of accidents resulting in loss of life during last year was 301 out of 550,000,000 passengers carried, and 81 more than were lost the year preceding. Of those lost 92 were passengers and 20 were officers or hands on steamers. In the fifteen years beginning with 1875 and ending with the present year, the number of steam vessels in the United States had increased from 3,885 to 6,725, a gain of 73 per cent. The increase in licensed officers for the same period is 117 per cent.; or from 14,571 in 1875 to 31,622 in 1889. The loss of life on steam vessels, with 73 per cent. more steamers in service, is only 301 in the present year, as against 607 in 1875, a reduction of 54 per cent.

Manitoba is following the example of Ontario in removing the supervision and control of the educational system from a bureau with a superintendent at its head and placing it under the administration of one of the ministers. With Ontario experience before them the government of Manitoba is acting wisely, but we cannot say as much for the example set in British Columbia if the condition of things existing here is considered. The last Manitoba Gazette contains the appointments of Hon. Joseph Martin and F. C. Wade to be members of the Board of Education vice Messrs. Somerset and Aikens, resigned, and to be Superintendent of Education for the Protestant section, Hon. Joseph Martin, Dr. E. A. Blakeley, of Winnipeg, has been appointed Deputy Minister of Education, to succeed J. B. Somerset, Superintendent, who relinquished office on the 1st instant. The question of abolishing separate schools was the principal cause for the change.

Old wells, it is said, are proving veritable death traps. A family consisting of the parents and three children moved to premises which had been for some time vacant. In a short time the children were taken down with diphtheria, and later the parents contracted the same complaint. Examination proved that the well was in a most filthy condition. In this and in the numerous other cases of this kind which are continually happening, we are not only made aware of the stupid disregard by many people of the true conception of cleanliness, but an illustration of the principle of evolution that the fittest only survive, is made apparent. The person fittest to live is one whose wise forethought provides against accidents in all their multifarious forms. The person too stupid or too cautious to pay due regard to cleanliness pays the penalty by contracting mortal diseases. Those who are clean by habit, and whose instinct prompts them to ferret out filth from its most hidden and unexpected places survive, and we may presume that in the ages to come civilization will so far have learned to appreciate that cleanliness is next to godliness, as to warrant the sanitary officer being dispensed with. It seems incredible, however, that any person moving into premises long neglected, should omit to examine the character of their drinking water. People will learn perhaps after a while.

### Current Newspaper Wit.

Professor Korosi announces that rich people live longer than poor people. And yet, in spite of this discouraging fact, some people continue to be born poor. It must be attributable to ignorance.

In the death of the 500-pound giantess New York suttain a very heavy loss.

When the stars above are not out shining they are probably locked up in the star chamber.

The unmarried females of the country will be much interested in the work of the Patrons of Husbandry.

John L. Sullivan thinks his example has set young men to work. He is mistaken. His example has set young men to striking.

The infant King of Spain is to have his portrait put on postage stamps. This will make him more "stuck up" than ever.

Young man, do not be deceived. Your best girl doesn't care half so much about your getting a moustache raised as she does about you' getting your salary raised.

The Postmaster-General has designated "Wash." as the abbreviation of Washington. It doesn't sound quite as esthetic as could be wished by the average native, but still if Mr. Wannamaker insists on Washing them they will have to put up with it.

### Henry Labouchere.

Henry Labouchere, M.P., and editor of London *Truth*, has had a romantic and interesting life. Born in London in 1831, he was educated at Eton and Cambridge. Leaving college he set out on his travels and arrived in Mexico, where he fell in love with a lady of the circus. He joined the company, and became a sort of Ouida hero. Growing tired of this life, he went to the United States and found his way to St. Paul, then a cluster of shanties about which the Chippewas roamed, Becoming fascinated by their wild, roving life he hunted with them for six months. He next brought up at New York, where he thought he would go into the diplomatic service. He became attached to the British legation at Washington, but at the end of two years he was dismissed for enlisting American citizens for the Crimean war at the same time with Compton, the British minister. He next appeared at St. Petersburg, then at Constantinople. Finally he settled down as a journalist and member of parliament for Northampton.

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'Twas an evening in November,
And we stood there all alone,
And you pointed to the heavens,
Where the jewelled dipper shone,
And you told me to remember
When I saw those bright stars shine,
That as long as the dipper hung there,
So long you would be mine.

Again it is November
And I am all alone;
And of late I've lost the interest
I once had in stars, I own.
But somehow the idea strikes me,
As I watch that starry group,
Since you wed my rival yesterday,
That the dipper's in the soup.

### Cassowary Fishing.

The habits of the cormorant and of our native fish hawk are generally known. Their methods of taking fish are very much like those of birds of prey. But the cassowary fishes according to a method of its own. Mr. Powell witnessed its operations on a river in the island of New Britain:

I saw a cassowary come down to the water's edge, and stand for some minutes apparently watching the water carefully. It then stepped into the river where it was about three feet deep, and, partially squatting down, spread its wings out, submerging them, the feathers being spread and ruffled.

The bird remained perfectly motionless, and kept its eyes closed, as if in sleep. It remained in this position for fully a quarter of an hour, when, suddenly closing its wings and straightening its feathers, it stepped out on the bank. Here it shook itself several times, whereupon a quantity of small fishes fell out of its wings, and from amidst its feathers, which the bird immediately picked up and swallowed.

The fishes had evidently mistaken the feathers for a kind of weed that grows in the water along the banks of the rivers in this island, and which very much resembles the feathers of the cassowary. The smaller fishes hide in these weeds to avoid the larger ones that prey on them. —Youth's Companion.

### Eel Skins for Rheumatism.

"Give me two large eel skins," said a young woman who entered a North End drug store at the time a Globe man happened to be quenching his thirst at the soda fountain.

"Eel skins!" said The Globe man to the clerk, when the young lady had left with her purchase. "What does she want of eel skins?"

"Rheumatism," said the drug clerk. "You'd be surprised at the number of people who use eel skins for rheumatism. I know an old man whose arms and legs are completely strapped with them, and he believes that they prolong his life. We have more or less call for them, but I understand that up town stores don't keep them, although once in a while their customers ask for them. We get our skins of a fish dealer on Atlantic avenue. He purchases them from South Boston people, who sell the skinned eels for food, and when the skins are dried, sell them to various customers. In many of the fish stores on Atlantic avenue you will see a bunch of the skins suspended from the wall by a hook. They are very oily and soft, and while I don't take much stock in them, numbers of people have implicit faith in them. I am told that there is a German family in South Boston that sells these eel skins to various people throughout the United States and realizes a snug little income therefrom."—Boston Globe.

### An Illustration of Faith.

"Now, Johnnie, can you tell me what faith is? You remember I explained it to you last Sunday."

"Faith is a belief in things unseen."

"Right; now give me an illustration of the meaning."

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT THE City Clerk's office until Wednesday, the 20th Nov. instant, at 4 p.m., for the undermentioned work, viz.:
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(a) On Store street near Johnson street, and
(b) On Government street near Johnson street.
2. Gravelling Belcher street from Cook street to Moss street.
3. Gravelling View street from Douglas street to the Central School reserve.
Each tender to be accompanied by a certified cheque for five per cent. of the amount of tender.
By order
WELLINGTON J. DOWLER,
C. M. C.
City Hall, November 11th, 1889. nov1

MUNICIPAL.
To Tradesmen and Others:
From and after this date I will not accept any orders from workmen or contractors employed by the Corporation.
CHARLES KENT,
Treasurer.
Victoria, Oct. 8th, 1889. oct8

MUNICIPAL.
TENDERS ARE INVITED UP TO THE 20TH inst., at 4 p.m., for the construction and laying of a steel main of 24 inches diameter, about 6,000 feet in length, from the dam of the Victoria Water Works in the direction of the city, said tenders to be delivered at the office of the undersigned.
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# HALIGONIAN DAYS.

## A Yankee in the Canadian Maritime Provinces.

### OF THE MIDSUMMER CARNIVAL.

**An Exciting Sham Battle—Halifax Theoretically Attacked and the Enemy Repulsed—Ideal and Real Geology—Nova Scotia's Envolved Strata.**

August opened with a great stir in military and naval circles, for the midsummer carnival was on; the great British war vessel Bellerophon lay some time in the harbor and was joined by others. Two French men-of-war also came in, and there were extensive preparations for a great sham battle, review and naval display. By the courtesy of the local press, I spent some hours on the Bellerophon—the officers pronounce this Beller-o-phon and the sailors call it the "Billy Ruffian"—and it was almost a liberal education in that line. The vessel is 330 foot long and manned by over 400 sailors and marines, besides the officers; and all ranks received our editorial party and conducted us over the vessel with a deference and courtesy which confirmed the statement of many writers that the British navy is the home of gentlemen.

As to the carnival, has it not already been described a dozen times? The most exciting part of it to me was the battle, the marines attempting to land under the protecting fire of their gunboats, the heavy shore batteries answering the bombardment and the red coats, posted for two miles along the hills, repulsing the marines, the thunder of the sea echoed from the hills and the echo mingled with the crash of shore batteries, the signal corps telegraphing from all commanding points, and on the highest hill Sir John Ross directing the defense—it was really quite exciting. And when a "retreat" was sounded from the gunboats and the launches turned and rapidly carried the marines out of rifle range, it was so much like beating off a real enemy that the unlocking thousands raised a cheer which sounded for miles over the green slopes and granite cliffs, and wild hilarious joy swelled the hearts of the Haligonians.

By the way, why "Haligonian?" The etymology of the name seems obscure, and in fact they had some trouble to get up a good title for a citizen of Halifax. The natural title, of course, was Halifactor, but the sound of that would not do at all, though it would have just suited the New Englanders of 1783, who notified the Tories to "Go to hell or Halifax." "Acadian" was too general—it included not only the whole province, but all eastern New Brunswick as well. So they took the next letter after the f of Half——, and invented the word Haligonian. Judge Haliburton, "Sam Slick, the Clockmaker," the best humorist the province has ever produced, made it popular, and it is now proudly worn. "Acadie" is the Micmac Indian for "abundance," "plenty of," and is the termination of many local names in the two provinces, as Shubenacadie—"plenty of roots," that valley being noted for potatoes.

HALIBURTON.

The Nova Scotians are not a humorous people. I might say they are a very serious people indeed. Though there is much culture, many fine libraries and several good writers—indeed, there are several histories of the province as good as many of our states can boast of—there has been but one noted humorist, the author of "Sam Slick," and his humor is now considered rather heavy. I have heard it maintained that the seriousness was due to the climate, but I laid it to the race until I found on inquiry that it is exceedingly difficult to tell just what race did settle Nova Scotia.

It seems to have been settled slowly by the remnants of many peoples and factions. First the "planted French," then the Acadian colonists, and after them the superannuated fishermen from Newfoundland; then the British got the country and brought exiled Germans of the Palatinate, the remnants of Hessian and Scotch regiments, Irishmen who had to be indemnified for losses sustained in the old wars, and discharged soldiers and officers retired on half pay, and last of all came some 14,000 American Tories, and more than doubled the population of the province in a year. All fused readily into one homogeneous people except the Highland Scotch, located on Cape Breton Island. They remain separate and apart to this day, and so furnish material for Dudley Warner's "Backlock and That Sort of Thing." The people in rural Nova Scotia live well and enjoy robust health, are most hospitable and ceremoniously polite, but they do not joke, and if one perpetrates the average American witticism in their company they stare inquiringly for a moment, and then glance at each other as if to ask, "What does the gentleman mean?"

Of all the people in Nova Scotia and New Brunswick none strike the American visitor with such painful surprise as the negroes—or, rather, the "colored," for they are shaded down considerably. They have been free from 50 to 150 years, and have had all the privileges of British subjects. They received the same land grants, stock and rations as other settlers of 1783, etc., and we have always been told that among English people

MICMACS IN HOLIDAY DRESS.

there is no prejudice on account of color. Here then, one would say, there should be fine results. They are, in fact, far, far inferior to the average of their race in the States, and the descendants of those who came in 1783 are rather the poorest of the lot. The negroes of middle Georgia excel them as far as the white Aryan of Boston excels the brown Aryan of Hindostan. The life of some of their settlements cannot be portrayed without offense.

When slavery was abolished in the British West Indies there was a Maroon rebellion in Jamaica, headed by a talented black called King Cudjoe. The British prevailed on him and his army of 500 to surrender and brought them to Nova Scotia. Many of them soon went to Liberia and finally returned to Jamaica; the others located at a place now called "Maroon Hill." I visited their settlement, but shall not venture to describe it. In all our southern country I know of but two places to compare with it. Another settlement a few miles away was described by the rector of the parish as so very bad that he begged me not to go near it. On the other hand, the "Lucas Settlement," of negroes from Virginia and North Carolina, brought after the war of 1812-15, is almost an average. I fancy that the climate has depressed the African nature—taken all their native gayety without implanting a British energy.

I delight in general geology, but I am suspicious of fossils; so I greatly enjoyed a few days run in the coal fields and old rocks of Nova Scotia, where there is so much that is practical and so little theory. And, by the way, I think the average citizen, not deeply rooted or grounded in the matter, is suspicious of fossils—there is so much speculation to one stone rib. Despite all the scientists have written and said, there is still a very extensive skepticism as to the science, and the ordinary citizen thinks that if those horrible creatures with ponderous names ending in "don" and "saurus" really did exist, it must have been all an era when the Creator was letting creation run itself and nature was in a chronic state of delirium tremens.

FALLS OF THE TARTAGUE RIVER.

It is all very well for Mr. Waterhouse Hawkins to "reconstruct" a pre-adamite monster from one solitary jawbone or fragmental vertebra, and to tell us with the cool assurance of an eyewitness how the ichthyosaur and the deinosaur, the plesiosaur and the cetaliosaur swam and fished and fought and died, and were succeeded by the oreodon and the glyptodon, the myiodon, the iguanodon and all the rest of the dons. But if we must believe such "reconstruction" possible, we want at least to be dead sure of the rib or the jawbone or the fossil footprint, whichever it is. No manufactured fossils, if you please. If we are to re-translate Moses on the testimony of the rocks, let us not have the track of an Alabama nigger shoved on us as the trail of a Labyrinthotechnodont or the petrified ear of a Chicago detective exposed as the gill flap of an Elasmosaurian. Such, I am sure, though imperfectly expressed, is the feeling of the average man; so let us give Nova Scotia fossils the go by and deal with her rocks and minerals.

The tourist with only an elementary knowledge of geology is at first confused in Nova Scotia. The whole rock system appears to be without plan or order. At Halifax, let us say, he finds himself on a ridge of bowlders resting on the hard old archean; a few miles north he finds a sudden and surprising change; schistose rocks appear; there are indications of gold, and from there to the northwestern shore all is apparent confusion. There are forests in which heavy bowlders stand among the trees, from the size of the ordinary "niggerhead" to that of a country church, and valleys where the rich black earth conceals all signs of rock. One side of such a valley is crystalline limestone or slate, and on the other a softer rock; here and there reefs of "splitting rock" come in, and the observer is assured that "this is a rich mineral region—it only lacks development." And as a matter of statistical fact Nova Scotia did last year produce $440,000 in gold, the average being $2.70 for each day's work. Of course, all those locally interested insist that this is only a proof of what can be and ought to be done: "The mines would yield splendid returns to capital if they were worked together and systematically."

When, however, the observer has crossed the peninsula at two or three points he finds that under the apparent disorder there is a charming order; it may best be expressed in the popular local phrase: "The strata are set on edge." In crossing the province from southeast to northwest one travels over the outcrop of all the formations from archean granite and fire distilled flint to the latest drift. To map this out let the reader take a jelly cake of many layers as a representative of the strata in their original order; then bend it till it breaks along the center, throw away the one half and let the other half (nearly perpendicular) represent the strata of the province. And if it were not so there would be no Nova Scotia; for if the strata had remained nearly horizontal the top would have gone long ago and the ocean would have rolled hundreds of feet above what is now the very crest of the peninsula. As it is, the unyielding archean of the southwest coast stands out against the Atlantic at a slope of perhaps ten or twenty degrees from the perpendicular—just the slope for most effective resistance. On this the waves have hammered and gnawed for uncounted milleniums till all the soft parts are eaten away; and all that shore consists of bold, rocky headlands and capacious harbors with narrow inlets. And some local savants maintain that the ocean but lately flowed through some pass across the peninsula which are now fertile valleys.

Going across the peninsula, northwest, one crosses rapidly all the geologic ages, and the northwest shore has a comparatively moderate slope. There the rich pastures incline gently to the very edge of the bay; at high tide the green sward actually seems to hang over into the salt water, and from the deck of a vessel the view is indeed enchanting. Where the hills recede and inclose a low tract, which high tide would submerge, are the noted dyke lands. The low embankments shut out the sea, but at stated times the floodgates are opened, the salt water spreads over the land, carrying fertility, as is so charmingly described in "Evangeline," and the soil is renewed. But if one would see the section of Nova Scotia where nature has done her perfect work he must go to Cape Breton Island. There all possible elements of interest are combined. The sea has torn away all the yielding rocks and left a coast of bold sublimity. Only the best protected coal seams remain, and they are scientifically perfect. The shore is all deep harbor and bold headland. The topography is alternately rugged and picturesque, while the people are quite as primitive as the land and far more interesting.

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Learn what thou are able, fit and apt into, and follow that.

In strong nature there is only one step from despair to heroism.

No evil is unsupportable but that which is accompanied with consciousness of wrong.

A night's sleep is the sovereign remedy for the smaller vexations of life.

The gods themselves cannot annihilate the action that is done.

We are all pieces of some great puzzle, and know nothing of its harmonious whole.

A sin without punishment is as impossible, as complete a contradiction in terms, as a cause without an effect.

There are a great many puzzles in human nature which can only be interpreted by the heart.

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### ANNUAL REPORT 1889.

The sixty-thirdd Annual General Meeting of the Company was held at Edinburgh on Tuesday, the 23rd April 1889, T. GRAHAM MURRAY, Esq., L.L.D., W.S., in the Chair.

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| AMOUNT PROPOSED FOR ASSURANCE during the year 1888 (3379 Proposals) | $9,125,554.60 |
| AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1888 (for which 2972 Policies were issued) | $7,282,205.07 |
| ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1888 | $281,904 93 |
| CLAIMS UNDER POLICIES during the year 1888, inclusive of Bonus Additions | $2,867,352.40 |
| AMOUNT OF POLICIES ISSUED during the last five years | $31,318,145.60 |
| SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 31th November 1888 (of which $9,862,000.00 is Re-assured with other offices | $101,238,149.14 |

ACCUMULATED FUNDS, $54,619,529 27
ANNUAL REVENUE, $4,525,703.13

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*MEDICAL*

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Dated October 29th, 1889.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Langley St., Victoria.
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### KOM WO TAI.

**Assignment for the benefit of Creditors.**

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 51 VIC., Chap. 115, entitled the "Trustees and Executors' Act," Notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ong Schoug, trading as Kom Wo Tai, General Merchant, at Lillooet, British Columbia, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of December, A.D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they then shall have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not have had notice.

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### NOTICE.

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R. H. COWAN,
s nl6-2m-w G. C. SHAW.

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate in Sayward district commencing at a post on the 50th parallel of north latitude, 18 miles west of Discovery Passage, thence west 5 miles; thence north 5¼ miles; thence east 5½ miles, more or less, to the western boundary of Moses, Ross & McLennie timber lease; thence south ½ mile; thence west 1 mile; thence south 3 miles to the place of commencement. Containing 11,520 acres, more or less.

COL. SCOTT,
W. LADD,
T. CASEY,
J. KING,
sep10-2m M. KING.

### NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a public highway from a trail on the west side of Gharlotte Lake to the lake north of Trout Creek, commencing at a trail about 150 yards north of Gartrell's S. W. post running east through a natural pass for cattle to take to the fish creek; north by the line between Gartrell's and my own land; thence west along said line to lake.

THOS. ELLIS.
Victoria, October 5th, 1889. oct5-1m

### NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the islands lying adjacent to St. John's Point, Hornby Island, and all the islands lying to the southeast of Hornby Island.

DAVID HOGGAN.
Victoria, September 23rd, 1889. sep23-2m

*LAND NOTICES.*

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase twelve hundred and eighty (1280) acres of land situated in Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, and described as follows: Commencing at the south-west corner of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim, thence west 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement.

W. BUCKNAM,
PATRICK HICKEY.
Victoria, Oct. 17th, 1889. oct18

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date, I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land in the Coast District: Commencing at a stake planted on the west side of Waddington Harbour at the head of Bute Inlet; thence S. W. 20 chains; thence N.W., 80 chains; thence S. E. 20 chains, or to the coast line; thence southerly along the coast line to the point of commencement.

C. G. HOBSON.
Vancouver 10 th. Oct. 1889. Oct. 11-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situate on Cortez Island, Sayward district, B. C., described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in a bay about three-fourths of a mile east of Plumper Pass; thence running east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 40 chains, thence south to the shore line of the bay, thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

sep19-2m M. C. IRELAND.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tracts of land, situate at Duncan Bay, Sayward district, described as follows:—

Tract No. 1.—Commencing at the northwest corner of Lot 26, thence west 60 chains; thence south 75 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence north 75 chains to the place of commencement, containing 600 acres.

Tract No. 2.—Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 26; thence east 60 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence south 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 240 acres, more or less.

JAS KING,
sep11 M. KING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, J. N. Leamons, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tract of land situated in Quatsino district, Vancouver Island, commencing on the sea shore, four (4) chains southeast of the most easterly house in "Quatsino" Indian village, Quatsino Narrows, and running north ten (10) chains; thence east two (2) chains; thence south to the sea shore, and thence in a westerly direction to the place of commencement. Containing two (2) acres, more or less. sep10-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Shushartie Bay, Rupert district, and described as follows: Commencing at the S. E. corner of section 5 (Robt. Hunt's pre-emption claim); thence south 60 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 100 chains; thence east to R. W. M., Shushartie Bay; thence southerly, following the shore line to R. Hunt's boundary; thence following said boundary to the point of commencement.

J. D. HELMCKEN.
Victoria, Sept. 18th, 1889. sep18-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a stake marked A, about two and a half miles below Kildalla River (near White Slide); thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains, and thence running along the shore line to point of commencement. Claim located and staked Aug. 29th, 1889.

W. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
S. A. McDOWELL.
sep5-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we the undersigned intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet described as follows: Commencing about two and one-half (2½) miles below the Wannuck Cannery at the mouth of the T-See-a-Keg bag at a stake marked A; thence running west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, and thence running along the shore to point of commencement. Staked September 18th, 1889.

WM. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
S. A. McDOWELL.
sep25-2m

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 640 acres of land situate on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, and described as follows: Commencing at a point 80 chains east of the southeast corner post of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim; thence east 40 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence west 40 chains; thence north 160 chains to point of commencement.

JOSEPH GRENELLE.
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 1, 1889. nov2-2m

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sixty days after date I intend to make application to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase 30,000 acres, more or less, of land situate on the west coast of Vancouver Island, commencing at a point on the coast 40 to 80 min. north, thence east 500 chains, thence south 560 chains, thence westerly along the shore line to the point of commencement.

SAMUEL M. ROBINS.
Victoria, B. C., Nov. 2nd, 1889. 2m.

### NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 2560 acres of land situate on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, on which due notice has been posted, and described as follows: Commencing at the southeastern corner post of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim, and thence east 80 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

JAMES SHIELDS,
ROBERT TENANT,
W. A. ROBERTSON,
JOHN GRANT.
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*SOCIETY MEETINGS.*

VICTORIA COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., R. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

mr5-1y R. B. ENGLISH, Secretary.

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A. R. ENGLISH, Secretary.
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COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, G. R. S. Regular convocations held on the first Tuesday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas Street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.

jel 19 W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend.

R. H. JOHN, K. of R. & S. oct9

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### Vancouver Route.

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### New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island Sunday at 22 o'clock. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 3 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Horsehy Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leaves New Westminster for Victoria Monday at 14:30 o'clock. Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

### Frazer River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and way Landings every Wednesday. For Chilliwhack and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.

### Northern Route.

SS. Sardonyx will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

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Arrive Port Townsend ..... 12:15 p. m.
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## PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

### News of the City and the Province Briefly Told.

—Artistic enlarged portraits, Fleming's, Government street. *

—A 15 ounce nugget has been found in a Siwash Creek claim.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street. *

—Regular weekly meeting of the board of aldermen this evening.

—The mayor of New Westminster will be given a salary next year.

—An extra large number of passengers came down by the Islander last night.

—New designs in dinner and toilet-ware, glassware, lamps, etc., at John Weiler's. *

—Seattle is to have a $163,000 court house built by Smith & Burrows of San Francisco.

—A very pleasant open lodge meeting was held by the Daughters of Rebecka last night.

—"We lead" for elegance, style and beauty of finish. Hall & Lowe, Government street. *

—The Pioneer Society are debating the advisability of leasing more commodious rooms.

—These fine frosty mornings are as healthy and bracing as a drink from the spring of life.

—People can order their coal at the Rock Bay Coal Yard by ringing up telephone 559. *

—The Married Ladies' Club held a most pleasant meeting last evening in Harmony Hall.

—A blank police court charge sheet was a feature of the city hall business this morning.

—A grand bazaar is soon to be given by the ladies of the St. Andrew's Presbyterian church.

—The best Wellington coal is kept at the Rock Bay Coal Yard. Office, 90½ Government street. *

—Vancouver has been visited by a wind storm, and badly shook up by the minature cyclone.

—The best place to secure a good suit to order, is at Campbell & Simpkins', 88 Government street. *

—Parlor suites, lounges and easy chairs in endless variety at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street. *

—Large stock of new style carpets, curtains, table covers and plushes just received at John Weiler's. *

—Shipe's patent stove pipes. Same price as common pipes at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street. *

—A liberal discount on tl ree-ton lots at the Rock Bay coal yard, telephone 559. Full weight guaranteed. *

—High winds near Nanaimo yesterday did some slight damage. The telegraph wires were the greatest sufferers.

—The investigation of the charges of misconduct against head jailer, Mr. Muldoon, will be continued on Friday.

—A force of men are engaged in trenching Broad street between Johnson and Pandora streets for sewer purposes.

—Coal is delivered on short notice from the Rock Bay Coal Yard, A. Heathorn, agent, 90½ Government street. *

—A series of political talks are to be given to the members of the Y. M. C. A., commencing on the evening of the 18th inst.

—Two new banks have been opened in Seattle, one the State Saving bank, the other to Boston bank. Both have large capital.

—Messrs. Soules & York and Woods & Charlton, two firms of Vancouver, have made assignments for the benefit of their creditors.

—Fresh Oysters delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery, Young Bros., Government street, Telephone Call, No. 161. *

—Another new brick block is soon to be built on the corner of Pandora and Government street for Joseph Bros. by Mr. J. C. Mallette.

—If you wish a full dress suit for the governor-general's reception, go to Campbell & Simpkins, merchant tailors, Government street. *

—Upholstery worth seeing at Hastie & Lockhart's; and the prices worth enquiring into before purchasing elsewhere. 62 Government street. *

—J. Montague Leet in the near future will deliver a lecture on "Everything Goes," as should everything go as applied to business, social and political life.

—Sideboards, hall racks, bedroom suites, carpets, mattings, &c., will be slaughtered for the next 30 days at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street. *

—Nanaimo has begun to think of winter already and the people there are going to meet on Thursday night to decide what steps shall be taken in regard to the season's skating.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, reed rockers, upholstery goods and housefurnishings in the province at John Weiler's, 51 to 55 Fort street. *

—James Bay again looms up for fine vegetables. To-day a lady brought into the "corner" a fine beet weighing 18 lbs. It was grown in the garden of John O'Connor, Cobourg street.

—Don't let anyone convince you that Hastie & Lockhart have not the finest line of goods, and at prices equally as fine, until you have made a personal examination for yourselves. No. 62 Government street. *

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—Received this day at the Albion House new ulsters and jackets, knitted wool goods, plain and fancy dress materials, winter gloves, hosiery, etc. A full line of blankets, quilts, flannels and staples of every description always on hand.—Brown & White. *

### Marine Gossip.

Steamers arriving are bringing heavy freight at present.

The Sardonyx will leave for her northern trip to-morrow.

The bark Doehra has taken on 500 casks of dogfish oil for England.

The steamer Michigan leaves Portland for Victoria direct on the 16th inst.

Material for repairing the Amphion has been sent for, and will be promptly shipped from England.

The work of raising the sunken steamer Princess still goes on favorably, and she will soon be afloat.

The bark Martha, from this port lumber laden, is at the Merchants' dry dock, 'Frisco, for repairs. She put into that port leaking, but so far no leak can be found.

The four-masted British ship, Marlborough Hill, from Melbourne, entered Port Townsend on Tuesday, and was towed to Tacoma to-day to load wheat. Her net tonnage is 2,363.

A company, to be known as the Seattle Steamship Company, has been organized at Seattle with a capital of a quarter of a million dollars. The idea is to have Seattle owned boats for the Seattle trade.

Advices have been received stating that Capt. W. S. O'Leary, formerly master of the schooner Pathfinder, will have command of the new schooner Ocean Belle on her voyage out from Nova Scotia. Capt. Steward is to return to Victoria overland.

In yesterday's report it was stated that the two ships bound from the Orient were the Gleaming and Dinsmore. The names by some error got mixed. They should have been the Gleaming, Capt. Dinsmore, and the Selkirk, Captain Crowe.

A mutiny has occurred on the American bark C. D. Bryant, at Port Townsend. A non-union crew were shipped at San Francisco, but on arriv l at Port Townsend were interviewed by the union men with the result that they refused to work any more. They were ironed and taken to Seattle for trial.

### The Ferry.

The Islander left Vancouver for Victoria at 2:40 p.m. to-day.

### Lively Runaway.

A horse belonging to Mr. Pearson of Yates street became restive a little before eight this morning, and ran away, dashing up the street into Government and Fort streets. Near Broad the runaway was stopped by Mr. Fell, no damage having been done.

### Capitalists Coming.

A number of moneyed Americans, railroad presidents and other eastern capitalists, who have been travelling through the States in a special car, will come over from Tacoma this evening on the Sound steamer and spend a day or two in Victoria.

### Change of Mates.

Mr. Nickerson, formerly mate of the Sardonyx, has been appointed captain of the steamer Maude, vice J. Leach.

John McLeod, who has been mate on the New Westminster steamers of the C. P. N. Co., has been changed to mate of the Sardonyx.

### The Princess.

The submerged steamer Princess has been raised a foot or so by means of scows, under Captain Dexter's management. The work is slow and depends almost entirely on the action of the tide. Several days will yet elapse before the steamer is brought to the surface.

### A Large Paper.

The Dominion edition of the Montreal *Herald* is one of the most comprehensive newspapers yet issued in Canada. It gives a description of the commerce and growth of the several cities and provinces, from Halifax to Victoria, and judging from a casual inspection the work is well done.

### Court Martial.

A court martial was held to day at Esquimalt to try two bluejackets for attempting to desert. A marine was also tried for theft, and another serious case was a marine charged with striking a superior officer. The latter offence was committed while the marine was under the influence of liquor.

### Tracked Round the World.

A man by the name of Campbell was arrested and taken from the west-bound express at Donald Sunday night, by Sheriff Redgrave. He is charged by R. A. Kimpton with a robbery of $450 that occurred four years ago at Revelstoke, and has been tracked around the world, being last heard of in British Guinea.

### The Vancouver Mayoralty.

A requisition is in circulation, says the *World*, and being very generally signed, to His Worship Mayor Oppenheimer urging him to accept the nomination for mayor for another year. When completed the document will be presented to His Worship and his acceptance of the proffered honor, no doubt, will follow.

### Nelson City.

The attention of investors is directed to the sale of Nelson City property advertised in THE TIMES. Nelson is in the centre of the great mining country of Kootenay, and it is predicted that it will be the Denver of British Columbia. Lots purchased now may advance four or five fold in value during the next twelve months.

### A Gold Pen.

A feature of the signing of the proclamation admitting the new State of Washington into the union was that the names of the president and Mr. Blaine were signed with a pen of gold from the Washington mines, in a holder of ebonized laurel made in Washington for the especial purpose. The pen will be brought from the federal capital to Olympia and preserved.

### Death of T. A. Barry.

A letter was received this morning by Mr. Van Volkenburgh informing him of the death and burial of Thomas A. Barry, a former resident of Victoria. Deceased came to this (then) colony in 1858 and has been a resident of the province till within five years. He has been connected with business and mining enterprises from Cariboo to Cassiar. Mrs. Barry, his mother, will go to Los Angeles where her son was buried. We sympathize with the relatives in their bereavement.

### Neighborly Courtesies.

At 10 o'clock on Saturday night a man named J. Stafford appeared at the door of a house on Princess Street, Vancouver, occupied by Mr. Cope and family, and discharged a revolver, fortunately without effect, at Mrs. Cope, who opened the door. The reason alleged for this is not certain, but is known that a quarrel has existed for some time between the Stafford and the Cope family. The revolver was of small calibre. The bullet discharged was not found. Stafford was arrested on Saturday evening and is now in the lock-up awaiting trial for an attempt at murder.

### Mr. Jensen's Kindness.

Mr. Pike, late mate of the bark Camelot, who was left behind by some jugglery of the captain, left by the overland route this morning for San Francisco, from whence he will take steamer for Australia. Mr. Pike called at this office last evening and expressed the greatest possible thanks for kindness received at the hands of Mr. Wm. Jensen, of the Occidental Hotel, who provided his bed and board since being here, and also furnished him with a ticket to Australia at an outlay of $150. Mr. Pike expects to obtain employment in Sydney.

### Leet, Dumbleton & Co.

The firm of Leet, Simon & Co. is dissolved and J. Montague Leet, H. M. Dumbleton, Andrew Green, and George Simon form a new partnership in real estate, finance and insurance. We believe that Mr. Green, one of the managers of the Consolidated bank of Canada, a gentleman of large mining experience and a new addition to Victoria, and an old time friend of Mr. Leet's, will devote his time to the British Columbia Monthly and Mining *Review*; that Messrs Leet & Dumbleton will attend to the real estate business, and Mr. Simon to conveyance and insurance. This new firm will occupy the office over VanVolkenburgh's and will be known as "Leet, Dumbleton & Co."

### The Canners' Dinner.

Last evening the British Columbia canners, represented by Alex. Ewen, T. E. Ladner, Jas. Laidlaw, D. J. Munn, E. A. Wadhams, R. Draney, H. Harlock, Robt. Burns, D. R. Harris, M. Strouss and S. A. Spencer entertained the Victoria agents at dinner at the Poodle Dog. Among the guests were Robt. Ward, B. P. Rither, Thos. Earle, Capt. John Irving, Mr. A. Johnston and Hon. J. H. Turner. The company sat down to dinner at nine o'clock, and after spending a very pleasant evening, during which important questions affecting deep sea fishing and the canning industry were discussed in connection with the toasts. The dinner was one of the Poodle Dog's best, the entertainers having spared no expense to make it worthy of the occasion.

### The Alternative Route.

A communication from Nelson, B. C., to an eastern paper, says of the proposed railway through Crow's Nest, Kootenay, that it has become a question of interest through the recent discovery of petroleum beds in the Northwest. Besides, there is a bold project, perhaps as yet little more than a suggestion, that the road once begun may be continued to a junction with the C. P. R. line at some point near the coast and constitute an alternative through line, practically avoiding the Rocky and Selkirk ranges. The presence of the Messrs. Stewart, railway engineers, in that country, where they have spent some seven months in rapid exploration of the different possible avenues through which railway lines might be constructed, has given an air of plausibility to the idea. Another consideration which is rapidly assuming huge proportions is that of the mining interests of Kootenay lake.

## SCHOOL BOARD.

### Monthly Meeting of Public School Trustees Held.

The regular monthly meeting of the board of school trustees was held last night. Present Trustees Hayward, chairman; Col. Wolfenden, secretary; Heisterman, Erskine, Morrison and Mallandaine. Routine business having been transacted, the secretary read the following

COMMUNICATIONS.

From Miss K. Todd, teacher of Hillside ward school, resigning her position as teacher, and expressing regret that she was obliged to do so; she also mentioned that while a teacher her relations with the board had been most amicable. The resignation was received, the board expressing its high opinion of Miss Todd, and while sorry to lose her services, congratulated the young lady on the step she was about to take, that of getting married.

From Mr. R. Offerhaus in re entertainment to be given by the pupils of the high school in aid of a gymnastic outfit. Received and filed.

ACCOUNTS

For the month amounting to $40.75 were passed for payment if correct.

FUEL.

The tender of W. Walker for the supply of coal and wood for the use of the schools was accepted. Coal, screened, to be delivered at $7.50 per ton; wood, cut, at $5.50 per cord.

ATTENDANCE.

The reports show that there has been an increase in the average attendance, that of last month being 1172.19, or 45.08 per teacher. The number of children attending was 1362.

OTHER BUSINESS.

As one or two vacancies in the teachers' staff are soon to occur, it was on motion decided to announce that all present applications on file are declared cancelled and new applications will be advertised for.

The secretary reported that he had forwarded to each teacher of the schools a copy of Superintendent Pope's letter on physical culture. He had also appointed Mr. Neaves as janitor of the James Bay ward school. He would also report that several shade trees had been planted around James Bay ward school.

Trustee Erskine spoke of the rapid increase of the Hillside school. Steps should be taken towards the employment of another full paid teacher, instead of a monitor.

His views were concurred in by the other members of the board, although it was explained that a couple of months hence would be time enough to take the matter up.

The board then adjourned at 8.30 p. m. sharp.

## NOT ALLOWED TO LAND.

### The Case of Five Chinese Before the Supreme Court.

A test of the Restriction Act was made in the Supreme Court this afternoon which is not without interest. Five Chinese, who came over from China on the last trip of the Parthia, were refused a landing by the Collector of Customs at Vancouver, on the grounds that the certificates possessed by them, and purporting to come from the collector of customs at Victoria were insufficient as there was reason to believe the Chinese had not been in Canada before.

The case was important as testing the powers of a collector. The application to-day was for an order of the court to Captain Wallace to allow the imprisoned celestials to land.

The case was heard before Mr. Justice Drake. Mr. Wilson for the applicants, Mr. Helmcken opposing.

Mr. Helmcken in answer to the motion put in the affidavit of Yip Yuen, Chinese interpreter at Vancouver, which stated that the Chinese in question had stated to him on board the ship that the certificates did not belong to them and had been obtained by them without the payment of any money.

The affidavit of Captain Wallace was also put in. This affidavit simply stated that the five Chinamen had been prevented from landing by Geo. Webster, chief landing waiter at Vancouver, on the ground, that they had never before resided in Canada.

Chong Suey's affidavit testified that he had learned from the Chinese themselves that they had not previously resided in Canada.

Mr. Webster's affidavit related the foregoing facts and Mr. Bowell, the collector, testified that the Chinese tax had not been paid by the plaintiffs in accordance with the Restriction Act.

Mr. Wilson put in the affidavits of the Chinese which stated that they had resided in Victoria and had left four years ago for China, procuring before leaving the regular certificates at the custom house. Counsel contended, that the certificates alone were sufficient to allow them to land. To decide otherwise was to subject them, under section 17, to a $500 penalty.

Mr. Gardner being called, translated a memorandum made on one of the certificates in Chinese characters. The memorandum stated that the certificate was issued to so and so in 1885.

The judge observed that the captain was under the control of the custom house. Whether these certificates were correct or not was not for the captain of the vessel, but for the comptroller of customs to decide.

Mr. Wilson—Every Chinese coming into the country with a certificate can be put to the same inconvenience, the effect of which would be to shut them out of the country.

His Lordship—The affidavits of the applicants are very imperfect and besides they do not specify any street, street number or other details which would enable them to be identified if they had resided here before. He did not think he could grant a *habeas corpus* on these affidavits. The persons detaining the applicants had no interest in doing so, in fact it was in the other direction. There was great suspicion also that the certificates had been obtained from other persons who had previously been in Canada, and under these circumstances he could not grant the application.

### Scholars' Entertainment.

To-morrow evening the scholars of the High school, assisted by the best local talent, will give an entertainment in aid of the gymnasium fund. Mr. R. Offerhaus, who has been untiring in his efforts to obtain for the scholars a gymnastic outfit, has arranged the entertainment for that purpose, and a programme of musical selections, recitations and calithenic exercises will be given. The training of the pupils has been complete, and a most enjoyable evening's amusement is sure to be provided. As the proceeds are to be devoted to the scholars' use a full house may be assured, as Victorians are justly proud of their schools and scholars, and anything calculated to benefit either is sure to be well helped. Tickets, 50 cents each, can be obtained at the usual place and of the scholars.

### The Situation in England.

In England bye elections usually go against the government. But so far as the question of the Union is concerned the results of these elections, which are taken to denote the progress of Home Rule, in fact denote that Home Rule had been almost withdrawn from the field. That issue has of late been kept in the background by the Gladstonians, who contest the elections on ordinary Liberal issues, such as disestablishment, reform of the House of Lords, reform of the land law, extension of the suffrage, and free education.

Lord Salisbury's letter on Imperial Federation, now that we have its full text, amounts to a positive declaration that the Imperial Government will not move. If the Imperial Government will not move, nobody else can; for who is to call the colonies together?—Goldwin Smith in *Bystander*.

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### A Wily Chinaman.

A case has recently come to light of a Chinaman endeavoring to get possession of a young Chinese girl from the Refuge Home through false pretences, which are criminal in their way. The plan was luckily foiled and the Chinaman will figure in court.

### Loved by the Gods.

The cruel hand of death has taken little Hazel J. Humber from her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Humber, who mourn the loss of an only child. The funeral of the little one, who was but two years old, will take place to-morrow from the family residence, Gorge road.

### To City Subscribers.

Mr. B. G. Haigh has charge of our city circulation and is authorized to collect the amounts due by subscribers. Errors in delivery by the carriers, reported to him or through the office, will be rectified. He will visit all our subscribers during the next few weeks on a collecting tour, and will repeat his visits regularly in the future.

### The Grismers.

These Victoria favorites with a strong support opened last evening to a good house, and the play was faithfully acted in every particular and well received. This evening "The Burglar" will be presented. The San Francisco *Chronicle* speaking of it says: The dialogue of the drama is remarkably smooth and flowing, and its ease is not attained at the cost of strength or vigor. The play is very noticeable for its fidelity to nature. It is quite within bounds to say that "The Burglar" is one of the best constructed plays which have been presented in this city for a long time, and that it is played in most excellent fashion. The house was full last evening, and the audience, while critical, was decidedly commendatory and enthusiastic.

## PERSONAL.

### Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

Archbishop Lemmens left for Ottawa to-day.

Judge Harrison arrived from the mainland last evening.

Frank S. Barnard, M. P., has gone up to Okanagon.

Hon. John Robson went up to the Kamloops this morning.

Miss Lula Moore, the talented lecturer, arrived last night in the city.

Joseph H. Thain and bride left for their home at Vancouver this morning.

Sergt. Walker is temporarily on the sick lists from the effects of a severe cold.

Miss Dupont, of Angela College, brought with her a niece from Toronto.

James Closs, the popular steward of the steamer Olympian, is suffering from an attack of tonsilitis.

Sir M. B. Begbie, C. J., was a passenger for New Westminster this morning where the fall assizes begin to-day.

Chief Engineer Deasy is out around town again after having been kept indoors for two weeks with sore throat.

Attorney-General Davie went up to New Westminster this morning to conduct the cases for the crown at the assizes.

J. D. Carscaden and Mrs. Carscaden, of Winnipeg, are in the city. Mrs. Carscaden will probably spend the winter in Victoria.

Rt. Rev. Bishop Cridge is improving as rapidly as can be expected. He was able, with assistance, to be at church last Sunday morning, without injury.

Mrs. Morgan arrived last night by the C. P. R. from Ottawa, accompanied by her son and daughter, on a visit to her father, Hon. A. N. Richards, Q. C. and P. M., Brockholm, St. Charles street.

Miss Dupont returned from a long and extended visit to Europe last night, and will now resume her duties at Angela College, Church Hill. Miss Boddington has been in charge during Miss Dupont's absence.

Chas. E. Pooley, M. P. P., and Master Pooley, who went up to Vancouver on Sunday to meet Mrs. Pooley, son and daughter, who have been in England for some time, all arrived last night.

## SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

### A Resume of Events in the Sporting Arena.

Just now there is no lack of interesting events to divert and amuse. Chief among them is the Cameron-McLeod wrestling match at the Philharmonic Hall to-night. The arrangements have all been made, the backers of both men are confident, and the interest of the public is keen. Large amounts of cash have been staked on the result, and a rattling good match may be expected.

THE BOAT RACE.

McLean money is still taken by backers of Bush, and the interest in the forthcoming race is good. Both men are in fine condition, and a square and fast race may be looked for, as each one is determined to make the other fellow work.

PAINE CHALLENGED.

It was reported this morning that McLean had offered to row Paine one hour after the race with Bush for any amount from $100 to $1000. Paine was too anxious to take the offer.

WALKING CONTEST.

The four day go-as-you please walking contest commences to night at the rink on Yates street. Taylor, Hart, Irving, Morgan, Watson, Stokes, McLeod and Smith, being entries; $500 will be given as prizes. The conditions are four hours walking each day for four days, the contest closing on Saturday evening.

THE TURF.

During the past decade the increase in the speed of trotting horses has been something remarkable. All lovers of the turf remember when Goldsmith Maid made the best record in a mile race. Her record has been beaten several times since then. Recently the sporting world was startled at the time by Axtell, which was a mile heat in 2:12. This time has again been lowered. And California, the land of swift horses, has produced the horse that makes the wonderful record. This marvellous exhibition of speed was made in San Francisco last Saturday. Sunol, the celebrated Palo Alto three-year-old colt, which had a record of 2:18¼, reduced it to 2:10. This wonderful achievement of speed gives the Palo Alto flier the best time on record of three year-olds.

WRESTLING.

Paris, Nov. 13.—The last of a series of wrestling matches between Tom Cannon and Felix Bernard, took place last night. The latter gave up in consequence of an injury to his shoulder which occurred Saturday, and from which he had not entirely recovered.

TO-NIGHT'S WRESTLING MATCH.

The first deposit of $500 aside was made last night by McLeod on his own behalf and by Cameron's backer, and the whole of the stake, $2000, is now in the hands of the stakeholder. On an action of a man named Brennan against Cameron, a garnishee order, issued by the New Westminster court, was served upon the stake holder after the first five hundred aside had been put up; but legal gentlemen, to whom the question has been referred, say the order is bad on seve al grounds. Cameron's stake was put up by Mr. Stephenson, of the Pritchard House, and as the stakes would go to Stephenson if Cameron wins an injunction under the circumstances is void so far as it can be of any benefit to the party at whose instance it was issued. At all events, the garnishee order will have no effect on the match, which will take place to-night under the conditions named in the articles of agreement. There has been some side betting on the result, and several admirers of McLeod are said to have offered odds, although Cameron is the favorite with Victorians.

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### Eighth Call.

The eighth call of ten per cent. on subscriptions to the capital stock of the National Electric Tramway & Lighting Company (limited), has been made on the shareholders. The amount comes to $1 per share. There are only two more calls to be made.

### Art Notice.

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### Passengers Arriving.

Per steamer Islander from Vancouver—H M Keeler, J Seaworth, B Graham, E Casey, J Berry, J Casey, E Billingshurst, O Robertson, Mrs Mitchell, D McGillivray, W McKinnon, E Lambert, Mrs Pendry, P H Jounson, M King, J D Carscaden, A McConnell, J Ferringham, G T Simpson, L B Trueman, C Gardling, E E Webster, C Windsor, J S Proctor, E J Morgan, H Johnson, C A Lundberg, R B Stone, Miss Fowler, S Soule, A Burnaley, E G Clark, John Hudson, S McCutcheson, M C MacLeod, G Bardy, Wm Smith, J H Burton, Geo Brown, J Irvinsedes, J Mitchell, S Van Volkenburgh, Miss Clogg, Mrs Wills, Thomas Morton, F C Field, J H Pleace, Miss Katie Barker, Mrs Springer, Thomas B Springer, T Kyle, Mrs Thomas Kyle, W Woodraff, Mrs W Woodraff, Geo Q Cannon, Mrs G Q Cannon, J Mason, E E Heroux, S Chapman, Fred Ahu, Mrs Fred Ahu, Miss Nettie Ahu, F Donchenow, L Hansen, H Shadler, Jos Curry, A Hesse, F Peters, W Lynetecker, John Wilson, George Crow, T Crow, Pete Johnson, Mrs C W Smith, Master C Smith, Miss B Smith, H T Storey, M Des Mansanais, Mrs Des Mansanais, P Des Mansanais, M La Rose, Mrs J Briggs, Miss Briggs, Jas Briggs, H Lynden, G J Morton C Forancette, Tennis Briggs, P Bartells, J Barker, Wm Henderson, C D Doush, A Gavanaio, S H Barker, T Hinckley, J Spagetti, Geo Chillas, O E Marcuy, Mrs J D Carscaden, S Chambers, M M Keating, James Beers, D McNamara, W W Dickinson, J McMartin, Mrs L M Moore, Emily Morgan, Mrs C E Dupont, Guy Gussnie, E Strawen, E N Pooley, Miss Pooley, Mrs Pooley, A H Thomas, Alice M Gregg, Charles E Pooley, M P P, Master Pooley, J E Gardner, Mr Leonhart, Harry King, John Devine, Mrs W Clogg, George Stratton, Miss Dupont, H Clemetto, D Francis, Miss J Francis, Miss Rigby, C Hohun, G Delanto, T Beaso, Mrs D Francis, H Francis, Annie Clogg, A Toombono, Thos Niles, Miss A Francis, S Francis.

Per steamer North Pacific from the Sound—A H Goodo, C Dubois, Grianon Davies Co (five men and five women), G Davis, B M Godfol, A Waits, A G Barker, J McFarland, W J Wilmett, G J Sidlow, J Mowett, J B Martin, F Lock, Mrs McKenzie, W F Carano, Miss Murphy, R J Jones and wife, H M Adams, W D Green, Lilly White, A Monyale, J B Chappin and wife, R Nichols, J Falkner, F Jowle, H Irish, J Saunders, W C Williams, J H Collins, W Smith, C Crabtree, E S Church, F H Steel, G Thomas, C Eyten, W Robinson, G Smith, H Beck, M Geary, B Kidd, Geo Lewis.

Per Str. Princess Louise, from Westminster—Miss Fowler, Miss McKenzie, T E Ladner, E A Wadhams, A Ewen, J Laidlaw, H B Harlock, D J Munn, Judge Harrison, J A Wilson, R Weston, F V Walker, R J Helkie, J McIntosh, J G Jaques Griffiths, J Britton, J H Bremner, H Best, Capt McAlister.

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## DIED.

HUMBER.—In this city, November 12th, Hazel Josephine, only daughter of Frederick and Marion Humber, aged two years and two months.

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